Private Calendar No. 9

104TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 1031

[Report No. 104-810]

For the relief of Oscar Salas-Velazquez.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 23, 1995

Mr. Ramstad introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

September 20, 1996

Reported with an amendment, committed to the Committee of the Whole House, and ordered to be printed

[Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the part printed in italic]

A BILL

For the relief of Oscar Salas-Velazquez.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3 SECTION 1. WAIVER OF GROUNDS FOR DISAPPROVAL OF
4 REQUESTS FOR CLASSIFICATION AND AD5 JUSTMENT OF STATUS.
6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding section 204(e) of

7 the Immigration and Nationality Act, the Attorney Gen-

- l eral may not disapprove a petition for classification of
- 2 Osear Salas-Velazquez under section 201(b)(2)(A)(i) of
- 3 such Act, or an application for adjustment of the status
- 4 of Oscar Salas-Velazquez under section 245 of such Act,
- 5 on any ground relating to a determination that the mar-
- 6 riage of Oscar Salas-Velazquez and Jennifer Christine
- 7 Brady was entered into for the purpose of evading the im-
- 8 migration laws.
- 9 (b) Waiver of Inadmissibility.—Notwithstanding
- 10 subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C) of section 212(a)(6) of
- 11 the Immigration and Nationality Act, Oscar Salas-
- 12 Velazquez may not be considered to be within a class of
- 13 excludable aliens at any time on or after the date of the
- 14 enactment of this Act on any ground relating to—
- 15 (1) a determination that the marriage of Oscar
- 16 Salas-Velazquez and Jennifer Christine Brady was
- 17 entered into for the purpose of evading the immigra-
- 18 tion laws; or
- 19 (2) the deportation of Oscar Salas-Velazquez on
- 20 February 9, 1995.
- 21 SECTION 1. WAIVER OF GROUNDS FOR DISAPPROVAL OF
- 22 REQUESTS FOR CLASSIFICATION AND AD-
- 23 JUSTMENT OF STATUS.
- 24 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding section 204(c) of
- 25 the Immigration and Nationality Act, the Attorney General

- 1 may not disapprove a petition for classification of Oscar
- 2 Salas-Velazquez under section 201(b)(2)(A)(i) of such Act,
- 3 or an application for adjustment of the status of Oscar
- 4 Salas-Velazquez under section 245 of such Act, on any
- 5 ground relating to a determination that the marriage of
- 6 Oscar Salas-Velazquez and Jennifer Christine Brady was
- 7 entered into for the purpose of evading the immigration
- 8 laws.
- 9 (b) Waiver of Inadmissibility.—Notwithstanding
- 10 subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C) of section 212(a)(6) of the
- 11 Immigration and Nationality Act, Oscar Salas-Velazquez
- 12 may not be considered to be within a class of excludable
- 13 aliens at any time on or after the date of the enactment
- 14 of this Act on any ground relating to—
- 15 (1) a determination that the marriage of Oscar
- 16 Salas-Velazquez and Jennifer Christine Brady was
- 17 entered into for the purpose of evading the immigra-
- 18 tion laws; or
- 19 (2) the deportation of Oscar Salas-Velazquez on
- 20 February 9, 1995.
- 21 (c) Denial of Preferential Immigration Treat-
- 22 Ment for Certain Relatives.—The natural parents,
- 23 brothers, and sisters of Oscar Salas-Velazquez shall not, by
- 24 virtue of such relationship, be accorded any right, privilege,
- 25 or status under the Immigration and Nationality Act.

- 1 (d) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—Upon
- 2 the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent residence
- 3 to Oscar Salas-Velazquez, the Secretary of State shall in-
- 4 struct the proper officer to reduce by 1, for the current or
- 5 next following fiscal year, the worldwide level of family-
- 6 sponsored immigrants under section 201(c)(1)(A) of the Im-
- $7 \quad migration \ and \ Nationality \ Act.$

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